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Inventor(s): John LACOMBE et al.

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Title: HARDWARE IMPLEMENTATION OF AN APPLICATION-LEVEL WATCHDOG TIMER

Mail Stop Amendment  
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Sir:

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TOTAL CLAIMS	26	MINUS	31	= 0	X \$50	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS	6	MINUS	6	= 0	X \$200	\$ 0
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Respectfully submitted,

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED APRIL 12, 2005**

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Date: July 22, 2005

**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of April 12, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.